

**CERTIFICATE**

2011

To the Clerk of Rice County, State of Kansas  
We, the undersigned, officers of  
Spring Creek Drainage

certify that: (1) the hearing mentioned in the attached publication was held;  
(2) after the Budget Hearing this budget was duly approved and adopted  
maximum expenditures for the various funds for the year 2011; and (3) the  
Amount(s) of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax are within statutory limitations for the 2011 Budget.

|                                         |               | 2011 Adopted Budget       |                                  |                               |
|-----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Table of Contents:                      |               | Expenditure               | Amount of 2010<br>Ad Valorem Tax | County<br>Clerk's<br>Use Only |
| Computation to Determine Limit for 2011 |               |                           |                                  |                               |
| Allocation MVT, RVT, 16/20M Veh & Slid  |               |                           |                                  |                               |
| Schedule of Transfers                   |               |                           |                                  |                               |
| Statement of Indebt. & Lease/Purchase   |               |                           |                                  |                               |
| <b>Fund</b>                             | <b>K.S.A.</b> |                           |                                  |                               |
| General                                 | 17-1344       | 7,040                     | ✓ 3,704                          | 4.942                         |
| Debt Service                            | 10-113        |                           |                                  |                               |
|                                         |               |                           |                                  |                               |
|                                         |               |                           |                                  |                               |
|                                         |               |                           |                                  |                               |
| <b>Totals</b>                           | xxxxxxxxx     | 7,040                     | 3,704                            | 4.942                         |
| Budget Summary                          | 0             |                           |                                  |                               |
| Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate      |               | Is a Resolution required? | Yes                              |                               |
| Resolution                              |               |                           |                                  |                               |

Assisted by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

County Clerk's Use Only  
**749,531**  
November 1st Total  
Assessed Valuation

|                           |
|---------------------------|
| State Use Only            |
| Received _____            |
| Reviewed by _____         |
| Follow-up: Yes ___ No ___ |

Attest: Nov. 30, 2010  
Kevin Shawalter  
County Clerk

Martin Robl  
Bill C. Adams  
Alvin Heine

\_\_\_\_\_  
Governing Body

| Adopted Budget<br>General                          | Prior Year<br>Actual 2009 | Current Year<br>Estimate 2010 | Proposed Budget<br>Year 2011  |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Unencumbered Cash Balance Jan 1                    | 5,821                     | 6,624                         | 3,255                         |
| Receipts:                                          |                           |                               |                               |
| Ad Valorem Tax                                     | 4,525                     | 3,254                         | xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx          |
| Delinquent Tax                                     | 25                        |                               |                               |
| Motor Vehicle Tax                                  | 122                       | 125                           | 115                           |
| Recreational Vehicle Tax                           | 0                         | 3                             | 0                             |
| 16/20M Vehicle Tax                                 | 41                        | 39                            | 39                            |
| LAVTR                                              | 0                         | 0                             | 0                             |
| Slider                                             | 11                        | 0                             | 0                             |
| In Lieu of Taxes                                   |                           |                               |                               |
|                                                    |                           |                               |                               |
|                                                    |                           |                               |                               |
|                                                    |                           |                               |                               |
|                                                    |                           |                               |                               |
| Interest on Idle Funds                             |                           |                               |                               |
| Miscellaneous                                      |                           |                               |                               |
| Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Receipts    |                           |                               |                               |
| <b>Total Receipts</b>                              | <b>4,724</b>              | <b>3,421</b>                  | <b>154</b>                    |
| <b>Resources Available:</b>                        | <b>10,545</b>             | <b>10,045</b>                 | <b>3,409</b>                  |
| Expenditures:                                      |                           |                               |                               |
| Insurance                                          | 1,288                     | 1,500                         | 1,500                         |
| Contracts                                          | 1,708                     | 1,450                         | 1,500                         |
| Fees                                               | 825                       | 800                           | 850                           |
| Miscellaneous                                      | 100                       | 40                            | 40                            |
| Capital Improvements                               | 0                         | 3,000                         | 3,150                         |
|                                                    |                           |                               |                               |
|                                                    |                           |                               |                               |
|                                                    |                           |                               |                               |
| Neighborhood Revitalization Rebate                 |                           |                               |                               |
| Miscellaneous                                      |                           |                               |                               |
| Does miscellaneous exceed 10% of Total Expenditure |                           |                               |                               |
| <b>Total Expenditures</b>                          | <b>3,921</b>              | <b>6,790</b>                  | <b>7,040</b>                  |
| Unencumbered Cash Balance Dec 31                   | 6,624                     | 3,255                         | xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx          |
| 2009/2010 Budget Authority Amount:                 | 7,040                     | 7,040                         | Non-Appr Bal                  |
|                                                    |                           |                               | Tot Exp/Non-Appr Bal          |
|                                                    |                           |                               | Tax Required                  |
|                                                    |                           |                               | Del Comp Rate: 2.000%         |
|                                                    |                           |                               | Amount of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax |

# NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

State of Kansas  
Special District  
2011

The governing body of  
Spring Creek Drainage  
Rice County

will meet on at at for the purpose of hearing and  
answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of tax to levied.  
Detailed budget information is available at and will be available at this hearing.

## BUDGET SUMMARY

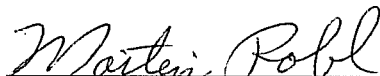
Proposed Budget 2011 Expenditures and Amount of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax establish the maximum limits  
of the 2011 budget. Estimated Tax Rate is subject to change depending on the final assessed valuation.

| FUND               | Prior Year Actual 2009 |                  | Current Year Estimate for 2011 |                  | Proposed Budget Year for 2011 |                               |                  |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
|                    | Expenditures           | Actual Tax Rate* | Expenditures                   | Actual Tax Rate* | Expenditures                  | Amount of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax | Actual Tax Rate* |
| General            | 3,921                  | 4.941            | 6,790                          | ✓ 4.564          | 7,040                         | 3,704                         | 4.958            |
| Debt Service       |                        |                  |                                |                  |                               |                               |                  |
|                    |                        |                  |                                |                  |                               |                               |                  |
|                    |                        |                  |                                |                  |                               |                               |                  |
|                    |                        |                  |                                |                  |                               |                               |                  |
|                    |                        |                  |                                |                  |                               |                               |                  |
| Totals             | 3,921                  | 4.941            | 6,790                          | 4.564            | 7,040                         | 3,704                         | 4.958            |
| Less: Transfers    | 0                      |                  | 0                              |                  | 0                             |                               |                  |
| Net Expenditures   | 3,921                  |                  | 6,790                          |                  | 7,040                         |                               |                  |
| Total Tax Levied   | 7,040                  |                  | 3,254                          |                  | XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX            |                               |                  |
| Assessed Valuation | 923,128                |                  | 712,987                        |                  | 747,114                       |                               |                  |

### Outstanding Indebtedness,

| Jan 1,            | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 |
|-------------------|------|------|------|
| G.O. Bonds        | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| Revenue Bonds     | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| No-Fund Warrant   | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| Lease Pur. Princ. | 0    | 0    | 0    |
|                   |      |      |      |
| Total             | 0    | 0    | 0    |

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills.

  
Clerk

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*SPECIAL DISTRICT RESOLUTION*

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

*A resolution expressing the property taxation policy of the Board of Spring Creek Drainage District with respect to financing the 2011 annual budget for Spring Creek Drainage , Rice County , Kansas.*

Whereas, K.S.A. 79-2925b provides that a resolution be adopted if property taxes levied to finance the 2011 Spring Creek Drainage district budget exceed the amount levied to finance the 2010 Spring Creek Drainage except with regard to revenue produced and attributable to the taxation of 1) new improvements to real property; 2) increased personal property valuation, other than increased valuation of oil and gas leaseholds and mobile homes; and 3) property which has changed in use during the past year, or with regard to revenue produced for the purpose of repaying the principal of and interest upon bonded indebtedness, temporary notes, or no-fund warrants; and

Whereas, budgeting, taxing and service level decisions for all district services are the responsibility of the district board; and

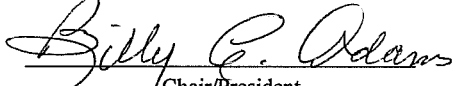
Whereas, Spring Creek Drainage provides essential services to district residents; and

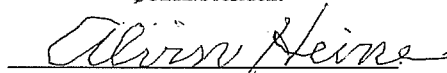
Whereas, the cost of provision of these services continues to increase.

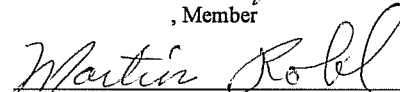
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of the Spring Creek Drainage that is our desire to notify the public of the possibility of increased property taxes to finance the 2011 Spring Creek Drainage budget as defined above.

Adopted this 20th day of July, 2010 by the Spring Creek Drainage District Board, Rice County, Kansas.

Spring Creek Drainage District Board

  
Chair/President

  
, Member

  
, Member

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(Attach a signed copy to the budget)

# Affidavit of Publication

David Settle, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That he is the publisher of the Lyons News, a twice weekly newspaper printed in the State of Kansas, and published in and of general circulation on a twice weekly basis in Rice County, Kansas and that said newspaper is not a trade, religious or fraternal publication.

Said newspaper is published Tuesdays and Fridays and has been published continuously and for a period of more than five years prior to the first publication of said notice; and has been admitted at the Post Office of Lyons, Kansas, in said county as second class matter.

That the attached notice is true copy thereof and was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for 1 consecutive Week, the first publication thereof being made as aforesaid on the 3 day of August, 2010, with subsequent publications being made on the following dates:

\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

Signed: David Settle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of August, 2010.

Cindy Moore  
Notary Public's Signature

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Publication Fee: \$ 278.<sup>46</sup>

Total Publication Fee: \$ 278.<sup>46</sup>

CINDY MOORE  
Notary Public - State of Kansas  
My Appt. Expires 4/22/2013

## NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

The governing body of Rice County will meet on the 13th day of August, 2010, at 9:00 a.m. at Commissioners Room at the Courthouse for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of all funds and the amount of ad valorem tax.

Detailed budget information is available at the Rice County Clerk's Office and will be available at this hearing.

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|----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
|                            | Expenditures               | Actual Tax Rate* | Expenditures                   | Actual Tax Rate* | Expenditures                  | Amount of 2010 Ad Valorem Tax | Est. Tax Rate* |
| General                    | 3,709,461                  | 16.612           | 4,281,958                      | 22.571           | 4,371,775                     | 2,666,278                     | 22.858         |
| Bond & Interest            | 227,925                    |                  | 1,482                          |                  | 75,855                        |                               |                |
| Road & Bridge              | 2,091,856                  | 10.876           | 1,500,000                      | 4.480            | 1,796,700                     | 453,708                       | 3.890          |
| Employee Benefits          | 1,090,808                  | 6.309            | 1,305,000                      | 8.038            | 1,400,000                     | 1,056,606                     | 9.058          |
| Emergency Medical Services | 453,865                    | 1.049            | 469,905                        | 1.521            | 429,121                       | 164,500                       | 1.410          |
| Noxious Weed               | 270,247                    | 1.576            | 281,216                        | 1.604            | 286,507                       | 134,887                       | 1.071          |
| Health                     | 238,351                    | 0.666            | 220,498                        | 0.680            | 238,202                       | 80,880                        | 0.745          |
| Historical                 | 119,100                    | 0.987            | 120,000                        | 0.957            | 115,000                       | 94,381                        | 0.809          |
| Senior Citizens            | 232,201                    | 1.918            | 237,581                        | 1.895            | 249,959                       | 233,033                       | 1.998          |
| Non-Budgeted Funds-A       | 271,419                    |                  |                                |                  |                               |                               |                |
| Non-Budgeted Funds-B       | 27,917                     |                  |                                |                  |                               |                               |                |
| Totals                     | 10,396,083                 | 40.193           | 10,357,032                     | 41.746           | 13,116,542                    | 4,880,273                     | 41.839         |
| Less: Transfers            | 1,257,673                  |                  | 666,687                        |                  | 671,448                       |                               |                |
| Net Expenditure            | 9,138,412                  |                  | 9,690,345                      |                  | 12,445,094                    |                               |                |
| Total Tax Levied           | 4,662,494                  |                  | 4,871,426                      |                  | xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx              |                               |                |
| Assessed Valuation         | 116,004,744                |                  | 116,692,236                    |                  | 116,647,014                   |                               |                |

Outstanding Indebtedness, January 1:

|                   | 2008    | 2009      | 2010      |
|-------------------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| G.O. Bonds        | 505,000 | 225,000   | 0         |
| Revenue Bonds     | 0       | 0         | 0         |
| Other             | 0       | 0         | 0         |
| Lease Pay. Princ. | 251,206 | 3,527,575 | 3,200,671 |
| Total             | 756,206 | 3,752,575 | 3,200,671 |

## RURAL FIRE DISTRICT #1

|         |         |       |         |       |         |         |       |
|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|---------|-------|
| General | 246,134 | 7.541 | 253,229 | 2.302 | 265,375 | 250,027 | 2.508 |
|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|---------|---------|-------|

## CEMETERY DISTRICTS

|                   |        |       |        |       |        |       |       |
|-------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| Alden Valley      | 5,217  | 0.972 | 21,900 | 0.953 | 26,400 | 5261  | 0.964 |
| Genesee Community | 15,755 | 0.971 | 13,725 | 0.723 | 17,225 | 12926 | 2.261 |
| Kansas Center     | 4,690  | 3.943 | 21,700 | 3.211 | 22,540 | 8478  | 3.998 |

## DRAINAGE DISTRICT

|                       |       |       |       |       |        |      |       |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------|-------|
| Spring Creek Drainage | 3,921 | 4.941 | 6,790 | 4.564 | 17,040 | 3704 | 4.958 |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------|-------|

\*Tax rates are expressed in mills

Oliver D. Dauter  
Clerk